

BULLETIN

of the
MAHONING COUNTY
MEDICAL SOCIETY

Volume XLVIII

JUNE, 1978

Number 5



IN THIS ISSUE:

Medical Society Gives Science Awards	109
All Doctors Should Keep CME Log	121
Annual Report of Medical Assistants	115



YOUR NEW SOURCE FOR

- Life Insurance
- Annuities

- Retirement Plans

Pico Life Insurance Company, a newly-formed subsidiary of Physicians Insurance Company of Ohio (PICO) is offering life insurance, retirement plans and annuities to members of O.S.M.A.

Pico Life emphasizes the professional insurance concepts you've come to expect from the PICO organization: comprehensive coverages, competitive rates, superb services, and insurance plans tailored to meet the specific

needs of physicians and surgeons.

You'll soon be receiving detailed information about our products. We hope you'll become one of our first policyholders.

Many fine companies would like to sell you life insurance, retirement plans and annuities. But only one was formed by physicians and is owned by physicians, to serve physicians.

That's Pico Life.



Pico Life Insurance Company
6100 Channingway Boulevard
Columbus, Ohio 43227
Telephone 614-864-0280

A Subsidiary of Physicians Insurance Company of Ohio

The GLUCK AGENCY

is your
only representative
for



in
Mahoning County

The Gluck Insurance Agency

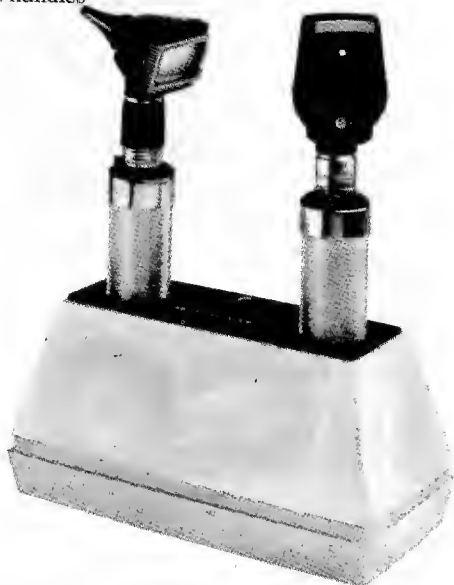
2901 Market St. Youngstown 44507

Telephone: 788-6577

Lyons' has it...

The new Welch Allyn 3.5 v Wall Transformer and the new Welch Allyn 3.5 v Desk Charger with a special \$35 trade-in plan.

3.5 v Desk Charger
unit complete with two 3.5 v
rechargeable handles
No. 71610



There's never been a better time than right now to update your old 2.5 v equipment to 3.5 Halogen illumination.

Ask your Lyons representative about the special limited-time \$35 Trade-In Plan.

or phone: (216) 755-9876

Lyons Physician Supply Co.

704 Youngstown-Poland Rd.

Youngstown, Ohio 44501

phone: (216) 755-9876

Officers and Council

Officers

G. H. DIETZ, President
Y. T. CHIU, Vice President
J. J. ANDERSON, Immediate Past President
J. W. TANDATNICK, Secretary
J. A. LAMBERT, Treasurer

Delegates

J. C. MELNICK
J. J. ANDERSON
C. E. PICHETTE
W. E. SOVIK

Council

S. G. ADORNATO
W. L. CRAWFORD
J. S. GREGORI
A. R. HOFFMASTER
R. M. KISKADDON
N. A. PAPPAS
L. E. SLUSHER
W. F. STANFORD

Alternate Delegates

RASHID ABDU
A. T. DERAMO
EARNEST PERRY
K. F. WIENEKE

Representative to Blue Cross of Eastern Ohio: W. E. Sovik.
Executive Secretary: H. C. Rempes, Jr.

MAHONING COUNTY MEDICAL SOCIETY MEETINGS — 1978

Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday	Tuesday
Jan. 17	Mar. 21	May 16	Sept. 19	Nov. 21	Dec. 19

Table of Contents

June, 1978

From the Desk of the President	102
Editorial	103
12th Annual Scholarship Dinner	107
Medical Society Gives Science Awards	109
Happy Birthday	112
Medical Assistants Society	115
In Memoriam — Robert P. Meader, M.D.	116
Proceedings of Council	116
From the <i>Bulletin</i> , 40, 30, 20, 10 Years Ago	119
Doctors Should Keep CME Log	121

Advertisers' List

Air Force	114	Youngstown Limb Co.	117
Bel-Park Professional Bldg.	110	Lester's	117
Blue Shield	123	Lyons Physician Supply	100
Boardman Hearing Aid Services	113	Mahoning National Bank	122
Burroughs Wellcome	124	Medical-Dental Bureau	122
DeBald & Co.	117	Patient Care Center	106
Gluck Agency	99	PICO	98
Jack Bertch Realty	109	Picolife	118
Kaplan Ed Center	120	Procure	108
Lilly	105	Stillson & Donahay Agency, Inc.	108

From the Desk of the President



Just recently, I had the extremely unpleasant chore of sending a letter to one of our members who has chosen to resign from the Mahoning County Medical Society. The nature of the letter was more or less to inform him that he was no longer eligible to participate in our group Blue Cross and Blue Shield plan and the other group policies, such as disability compensation, major medical, etc. Of course, it is somewhat significant that obtaining hospitalization and medical coverage outside of a larger group, such as ours, will probably be more costly; perhaps even more costly than the saving he will realize by not paying the County and State dues.

There is certainly a greater significance to the action of this busy physician, as well as the several others who in recent years have chosen to economize by not paying dues to organized medical groups such as AMA, OSMA and Mahoning County Medical Society. This economy, to coin a much used cliché, is indeed "penny wise and pound foolish."

The labor unions, with their organizing drives, closed shops, attempts to repeal right to work laws, and the like, have been through the mill of the unscrupulous members of corporate management who exploited the disorganized laborers. They certainly verify the motto "in union there is strength."

Of course I am totally opposed to the closed shop concept of compulsory membership in any organization, regardless of how much good can be achieved or the membership at large. This, I believe, takes away from the professionalism of any organization. It should be a distinct privilege and advantage to be a member, rather than a requisite to engage in the active practice of a profession.

To be sure, much of the lay public is under the impression that the A.M.A. plus the state and county organizations form a major compulsory labor union for the physicians. Most people when actually told that less than half of physicians in the United States belong to the A.M.A. express disbelief. As we all know, in spite of the criticism of organized medicine by the press, the politician, the physician himself, and even our President, there is no single force that has been more effective in thwarting, thus far, the takeover of the private practice of medicine by government.

The truly conservative physician who is concerned about the status of private practice is deluding himself when he derides the activities of organized medicine. Obviously no organization is perfect and there is much to be improved upon in our medical societies on

(Continued on Page 107)



BULLETIN

of the Mahoning County Medical Society

Published Monthly for and by the Members

1005 Belmont Ave.
Youngstown, Ohio 44504
Phone 747-4956

Not published in May,
July and August.

Volume XLVIII

JUNE, 1978



Number 5

The opinions and conclusions expressed herein do not necessarily represent the views of the Editorial staff nor the official views of the Mahoning County Medical Society.

EDITOR

Dean J. Limbert, M.D.

EDITOR EMERITUS

James L. Fisher, M.D.

EDITORIAL STAFF

Robert R. Fisher, M.D.
John C. Melnick, M.D.
James A. Lambert, M.D.
Jack Schreiber, M.D.

Editorial

Analyzing some of our problems in our profession, it is my opinion that we lack courage to face up to some of the challenges of this modern age of medicine. One of the ingredients that is missing is anger and until we become angry our courage will be insufficient.

It is our responsibility as individuals first, and society second to respond to challenges. We are constantly being accused of not caring, being dollar oriented, too dependent on expensive hospitals, and practicing a philosophy of 'no cost is too much for cure'. The end result of all these forces is a dehumanization of the patient. It is our responsibility to defend the patient against these depersonalizing experiences.

We should learn to listen to our patients more carefully and demonstrate our empathy to our patients and their families. We should learn to look at the patient as a total being rather than a disease entity. This tends to be primarily the limitation of the specialists because of his medical education.

Some of these inadequacies in our profession are being corrected by the increased emphasis in primary care physicians and training of paramedical professionals to handle the psychiatric and social problems of our patient. A good example of this is the Hospice development in the care of terminally ill patients.

Once these challenges are met, then only will we develop as a profession and as individuals to our highest capacity.

—Dean J. Limbert, M.D.
Editor

* * * * *

Response to DNA Editorial

The materialists among us have been hopeful that experimentation with D.N.A. would prove their dogma, but up until now their attempts at proof have been a failure. They will continue to be a failure. Many people tend to confuse the dogma of materialism with the desire or possessions. They are not synonymous in any way. Materialism, which came into existence with the establishment of the Order of Illuminati on May 1, 1776, established itself as a doctrine of the denial of the existence of God. Prior to this assertion, it was generally recognized by all human beings that power

was something which emanated from God. This power was dispersed through the emporal rules of this earth to their subordinates and to the least of us in a pyramidal sort of fashion, with the kings of the church on top and the governed on the bottom. Until the 18th century this authority was never questioned. The dogma of materialism can be summed up in a single sentence: *Matter itself contains the seed of life!* In this one very short sentence there is contained the difference between the materialists or Marxists and those of us who believe in God. Those of us in the latter category recognize life as something coming from God, who contributes to every living thing a life-giving principle, which we have come to call the Soul. This life-giving principle is eternal, and although we have borrowed it for a time, eventually it must return to the God who has loaned it to us during our lifetimes. It is to this God that we must answer for our actions. Possessions, as well a one's station in life, also comes to us from God, and an answer must one day be given for the use to which we have put them. Life, therefore springs from previous life, which springs from the source of all life which is God.

The materialists, on the other hand, tell us that life springs spontaneously from matter and that the soul does not exist, there is no life giving principle outside of matter, and so God does not exist either. Indeed he has no reason to exist at all. There is, therefore, no one demanding an answer for the actions of men on this earth. Man himself is God and the greatest God becomes the man who can exert the most power over his fellow men. Possessions of others are confiscated by Marxists, and wealth redistributed to whoever has the most power to acquire them or to distribute them. Abortions are allowable for the same reason. Today men look up to and follow those who seize the wealth of others and redistribute it by legal, but by completely unjust and deceitful means. The man or men who control the state substitute themselves for God, and make decisions as to what each man should earn, and what other men are capable of producing, and to what these men are entitled. The producer of goods and wealth finds himself very much at their mercy, for it is they who decide what is to be taken away from the productive and hard working, and what is to be given to the free loaders, who have produced nothing.

Not only does Communism rest on this premise, but Socialism, the Welfare State, and all forms of Marxism. People must be rewarded here and now, whether they work or not, and must never leave anything to the chance of heaven, which does not exist in the minds of materialists. When life is over, everything is over and gone. Matter rots in the grave and nothing is left to continue on to posterity with a creator. There is no reward; there is no punishment. There is nothing. It is over; it is ended!

If the prophecies of Michael de Nostradamus are to be believed, time is running out for the materialists for by the year 2000, Materialism, as a false religion, will be wiped from the face of the earth. In this country the deluge and the blood bath is only about 11 or 12 years away.

—Richard D. Murray, M.D., M. Sc. (med.)

DR. VUKSTA TO RECEIVE AWARD

Dr. Michael Vuksta has been named to receive one of the 1978 "Out-standing Ohio Team Physician Awards" presented annually by the Ohio State Medical Association. The award will be made at the annual Hall of Fame Banquet, sponsored by the Ohio High School Football Coaches Association, on Thursday, Aug. 3, at Canton.

Dr. Vuksta has given more than 20 years of service at Ursuline High School and Youngstown State University. The award is "in recognition of dedicated service for many years to scholastic athletes in Ohio."

contains no aspirin

tablets

Darvocet-N[®] 100 (TV)

100 mg. Darvon-N[®] (propoxyphene napsylate)
650 mg. acetaminophen

100



700565

*Additional information available
to the profession on request from
Eli Lilly and Company
Indianapolis, Indiana 46206*

Eli Lilly and Company, Inc.
Carolina, Puerto Rico 00630



patient care center

sales & rentals

1821 Belmont Avenue
(216) 746-8871

6951 Market Street
(216) 726-1176

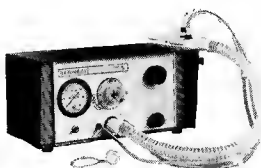
Specialists for in-the-home medical oxygen and respiratory therapy. Sales and rentals.

NO MORE TANKS!

The amazing Bendix Respiratory Support System makes bulky, high-pressure oxygen cylinders a thing of the past. This attractive, furniture-like unit literally manufactures oxygen from normal room air. The RSS draws room air through a series of carbon filters and molecular sieve beds to remove impurities and extract nitrogen content. The resulting oxygen enriched air, dialed in at concentrations of 90% at 2 liters per minute to 48% at 10 liters per minute, is delivered to the patient through conventional cannulas, masks and humidifiers. RSS operates without liquid or high-pressure cylinders and requires no chemical or gas filling. And, the high cost, inconvenience and patient apprehension of oxygen tanks in the home is eliminated. Only a small portable back-up cylinder is recommended. RSS operates on regular household current and is medicare-approved for purchase or rental.

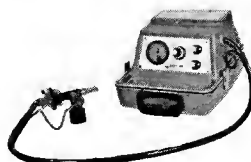


BENDIX SS



BENNETT AP-5

**Bennett AP-5
and Portabird
Portable Respirators
for IPPB Treatment**



PORTABIRD

All oxygen units and respiratory therapy equipment installed in patient's home by trained therapists . . . with written follow-up reports to prescribing physician.

PATIENT CARE CENTER ALSO FEATURES

- Sale and rental of hospital beds, wheelchairs, bedside commodes, traction and many other patient aids and supplies.
- Oxygen cylinders and portable units.
- Expert service and repair.
- Ostomy supplies.
- 24-hour emergency phone line thru Medical-Dental Bureau.
- Delivery anywhere.
- A big, bright, beautiful and barrier-free showroom

FROM THE DESK OF THE PRESIDENT

(Continued from Page 102)

all levels. When the physician withdraws from membership, or actually never joins, he not only is hastening the eventual demise of the freedom we still enjoy, but also he is riding on the backs of the dues paying membership as a "freeloader."

I only ask, if a man is honest with himself, what other organization with a nationwide clout can he turn to with his dues money in an attempt to stem the tide of socialism that is permeating our everyday life? Certainly specialty organizations may speak for the narrow interests of a particular type of medical practice, but all the specialties if glued together will never make the strength of a solid log that has never been chopped apart. It is this solidarity in the medical profession that will be so important in the next few years.

Our government, under the guise of "free trade" and the preservation of a "competitive environment" and to control costs, is taking on many of the "splinters" of medicine in courts of law. Certainly the conquering of the many divisions (splinter organizations) is going to be an easier process for the government than to take on a united profession (the log that has never been reduced to its component splinters). Literally, by our failure to form a "united front", so to speak, we are making it easier for our adversaries to control us. This eventuality is a certainty if we continue to support the splinters and ignore the strength in the very log itself!!!

—George H. Dietz, M.D.
President

12th ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP DINNER



Dr. David Pichette, Chairman (left), confers with speaker, Rev. Philip P. Conley at the Scholarship Dinner.

Rev. Philip P. Conley, director of the Department of Religious Education, Diocese of Youngstown, proved to be an outstanding speaker at the 12th annual scholarship dinner of the Mahoning County Medical Society. He addressed 66 students from 25 high schools and their doctor and wife hosts. The list of students was printed in the April *Bulletin*.

Special thanks from the Medical Society go to those who volunteered to be host and hostess for the young people. They are: Dr. and Mrs. Cacamio, Dr. and Mrs. Chiu, Dr. and Mrs. Dallis, Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Detesco, Dr. and Mrs. Dietz, Dr. and Mrs. Gregori, Dr. and Mrs. Kachmer, Dr. and Mrs. Jenkins, Dr. and Mrs. Lambert, Dr. and Mrs. Latorre, Dr. and Mrs. Melnick, Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Pichette, and Dr. and Mrs. Tiberio.

Dr. David Pichette was chairman and master of ceremonies for the dinner. Dr. and Mrs. Dietz presented the scholarship pins to the students. Daughters of two of our members were among the honorees this year. They are Carol Kachmer and Nancy Katherine Tiberio.



PROFESSIONAL CARDIAC REHABILITATION, INC.

17 N. CHAMPION STREET • YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO 44503 • (216) 744 8411



EVALUATION
INTERVENTION
PHYSICAL THERAPY
BEHAVIOR
MODIFICATION

PROCARE Clinic Hours
MONDAY • WEDNESDAY • FRIDAY
6:00 to 9:00 P.M.

CARDIAC PATIENTS ONLY
BY REFERRAL

A sure fire cure.

Your business overhead expenses don't stop if you become disabled. But the right Business Overhead Expense Plan would take care of them during the time you'd need financial help.

We have the Plan that is sponsored and officially endorsed by the Mahoning County Medical Society. Premiums are tax deductible.

For costs and further details of the coverage, including exclusions, limitations and the terms under which the policy may be continued in force, contact your administrator - -

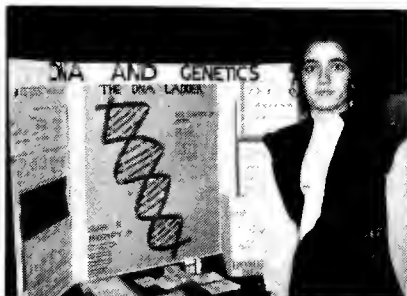


Stillson & Donahay Agency, Inc.

*Your Society health insurance
consultant*

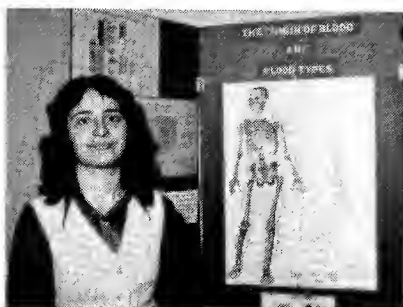
UNION NATIONAL BANK BLDG.
Poland 44514 Phone 757-3726

MEDICAL SOCIETY GIVES SCIENCE AWARDS



Left: Sana Itayim, South High sophomore, won the \$50 award for her project, "DNA and Genetics."

Bottom left: Carmen Marmureanu, Rayen sophomore, won the Medical Society award of \$25 for "The Origin of Blood and Blood Types." Right: Christina Petretich, Chaney senior, won the Auxiliary award of \$25 for her "Emphysema — A Product of Modern Times."



The Mahoning County Medical Society gave a \$50 savings bond and a \$25 savings bond as awards at the annual Science Fair held at Adams School in May. The Woman's Auxiliary gave a \$25 bond. Awards were for the best projects related to medicine. Co-chairmen of the Science Fair were Richard Miller and Joseph Jackubek, teachers at Adams School.

20th YEAR FOR MEDICAL SOCIETY OFFICE

This year will mark the twentieth anniversary of the establishment of an independent office for the Mahoning County Medical Society. Howard Rempes was hired as full-time executive secretary on August 1, 1958, and on Sept. 1, the office was opened at the Bel-Park Building. Prior to that time, the office had been associated with the Medical Dental Bureau. The former Mary Herald, assisted by son, Paul Herald, was executive secretary.

PRIME OFFICE LOCATION

For lease: 3,000 sq. ft. in new, quality built, two story building. Air conditioned. Elevator service. Ample parking. Route #224 near Tippecanoe Rd. Owner will finish to suit tenant. Available immediately. For more information call:



JACK BERTCH
REALTY
758-5005

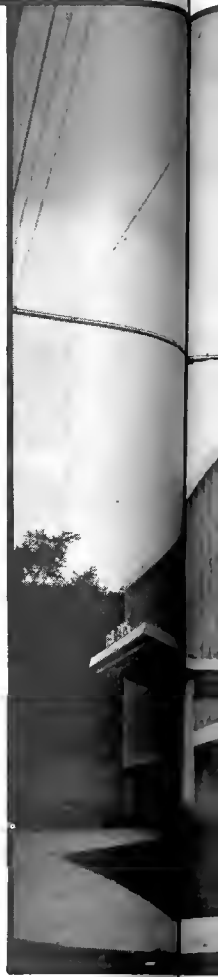


BEL-PARK BUILDING

Youngstown's finest medical
building. Located in the
immediate vicinity of
St. Elizabeth Hospital
Medical Center.

UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

Presently remodeling and
building to suit tenants.



A limited

Bel-Park Professional Co.



limited amount of select office space available.

For appointment —

Please call Jim DeCapua

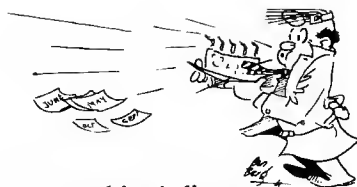
Phone: 743-5228

or

Medical-Dental Bureau, page system 119

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Get your annual check-up • Is it time to renew your driver's license?



- | | | |
|---|---|---|
| June 18
P. L. Boyle | July 17
E. J. Wenaas
J. J. Lee | Aug. 8
J. N. Gordon |
| June 19
C. W. Stertzbach
P. J. Mahar, Jr. | July 18
J. L. Finley
G. H. Dietz | Aug. 9
R. B. McConnell |
| June 22
M. A. Kachmer
J. A. Ruiz | July 19
N. A. Jaffer
H. W. Sharp, Jr. | Aug. 10
J. Politi |
| June 23
J. J. McDonough
J. A. Patrick | July 20
J. B. Werning
S. A. Basile | Aug. 11
I. N. Domszewsky
G. Ariza |
| June 24
M. C. Raupple
J. K. Altier
J. V. Chaves | July 23
B. S. Brown
G. S. Sevachko
W. F. Stanford | Aug. 14
J. L. Fisher |
| June 27
F. A. Pesa | July 24
B. L. Lipton | Aug. 16
P. W. Ho |
| June 28
R. A. Hall
Wm. Katz | July 25
P. J. Mahar
R. M. Roth | Aug. 17
S. W. Ondash |
| June 29
H. L. Khanna | July 27
N. D. Belinky
M. M. Yarmy
P. I. Silverstein | Aug. 18
F. Gelbman
G. J. Prochnow |
| June 30
A. V. Banez | July 28
D. G. Corredor | Aug. 19
W. T. Breesmen
J. J. Campolito
S. C. Keyes
J. R. LaManna
S. S. Husain |
| July 1
A. M. Qadri | July 29
S. M. Zervos
R. Aiello | Aug. 21
E. R. Constantinidi |
| July 2
E. Weltman
I. Mendel | July 30
F. L. Schellhase
J. H. Fulks | Aug. 22
R. J. Hritz |
| July 4
I. Nenadic | Aug. 1
S. C. Young | Aug. 23
W. D. Loeser |
| July 5
F. A. Miller | Aug. 3
I. Werbner | Aug. 25
A. W. Miglets
R. J. Jarvis
F. A. Carbonnell
H. A. Latorre |
| July 6
M. M. Kendall
M. L. Fok
G. A. Butcher | Aug. 4
D. A. Salcedo | Aug. 27
W. R. Torok
F. W. Kunkel |
| July 9
G. L. Altman
J. R. LaManna, Jr. | Aug. 6
R. S. Boniface
H. M. Wang | Aug. 28
E. T. Saadi
C. A. Ariza |
| July 11
L. M. Pass | Aug. 7
B. J. Klahr
J. A. Lambert | Aug. 30
D. R. Dockry
J. S. Conti |
| July 13
D. W. Metcalf
G. Boulis | | Aug. 31
L. J. Gasser |

HAPPY BIRTHDAY**Sept. 1**

B. Taylor

Sept. 3

D. E. Beynon

Sept. 4M. B. Krupko
E. Kessler**Sept. 5**W. H. Bennett
A. V. Whittaker
V. A. Neel
H. X. Kramer**Sept. 6**H. Holden
E. H. Jones, Jr.**Sept. 8**

I. Maeda

Sept. 9C. E. Pichette
A. R. Hoffmaster**Sept. 10**

A. K. Phillips

Sept. 12

S. N. Habib

Sept. 14

M. B. Goldstein

BOARDMAN HEARING AID SERVICES6251 Market Street • Marwood Office Center
Youngstown, Ohio 44512

- Service Available Six Days Weekly
- Trial Fittings
- At the Door Parking

E. R. JONES

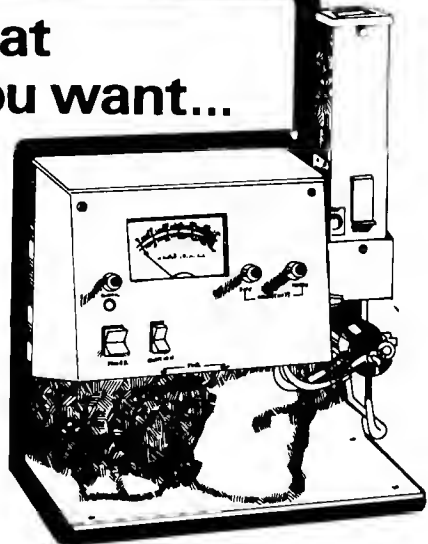
PHONE: 758-7345

O. L. CLUSE

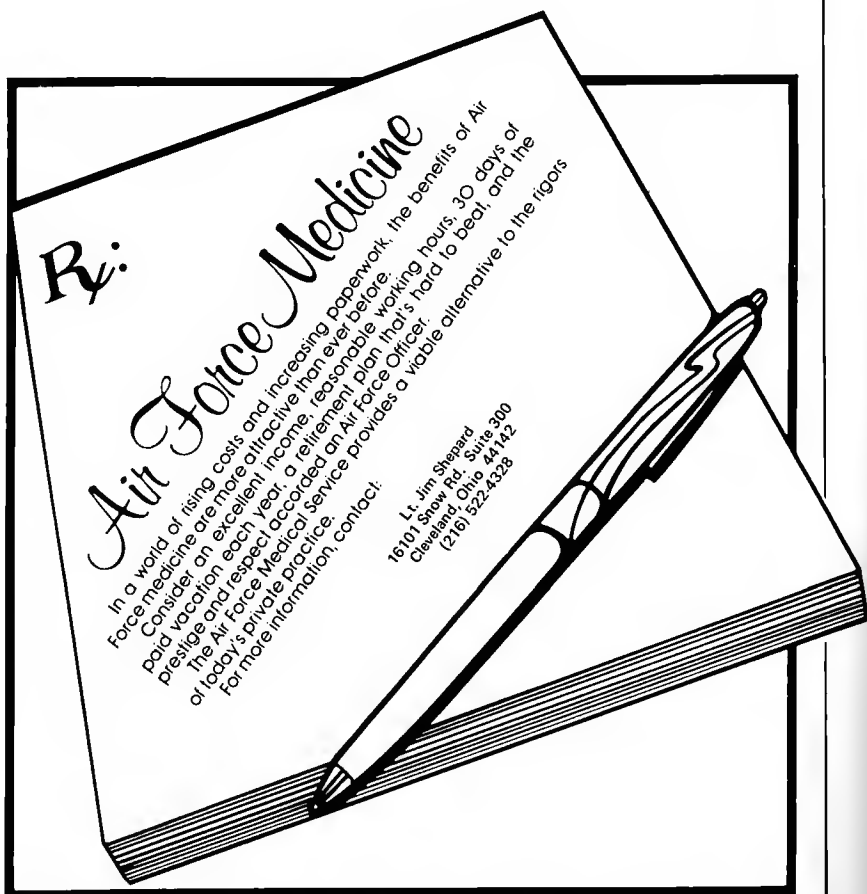
**You know what
equipment you want...**

***We're here
to see
you get it!***

For professional
financial service,
call Mr. Terry Taylor
vice-president,
at 744-9500



**MAHONING
NATIONAL BANK**



Air Force
A great way of life

DISCUSS NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE



Dr. Jim Anderson and Dr. Jack Schreiber appeared twice on "Good Morning Youngstown" on WYTV to discuss the pitfalls of National Health Insurance.

NEWS NOTES

Dr. S. W. Chiasson, Dr. John G. Guju, Dr. Kalmin C. Kunin and Dr. Ronald H. Roth have all been recertified by the American Board of OB-GYN. Dr. Kurt Wegner has been certified in the Sub-board of Neonatal-perinatal medicine by the American Board of Pediatrics. Dr. Y. T. Chiu, Dr. Subbarayudu Cuddapah and Dr. George H. Dietz have all been recertified in plastic surgery by the American Board of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery.

There will be no issues of the *Bulletin* in July and August. Next issue will be in September. Happy vacation from the *Bulletin* staff.

MEDICAL ASSISTANTS SOCIETY

The Medical Assistants Society of Mahoning County will be installing new officers at their June 16th meeting at Ramada Inn. They submit a year-end review at this time.

President for the past year has been Carmel Corradetti. She was installed last June. A picnic was held in July, and the year's program got under way with a dinner meeting in September.

The October speaker was Robert Herman, Ohio Bell spokesman, whose subject was "Terror by Telephone." The November speaker was Dr. Paul Ruth on "Eyes Have It."

The Annual Work-shop was held Nov. 6th. At the December dinner and Christmas Party, honorary membership was bestowed on Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Evans. Dr. Evans is chairman of the Advisory Committee.

January speaker was Dr. T. T. Deramo, who spoke and showed slides on "Allergies and New Advances of Medicine." Clark E. Jones, American Heart Association, spoke in February on "Life In Your Hands." In March, the group toured Woodside Receiving Hospital. The Ohio Medical Assistants Convention was held in April at Cleveland and was well attended by local members.

Betty Ann Perschka will be installed as president at the June 16th meeting. All physicians are invited to encourage their medical assistants to join the Society and take part in the programs, work-shops and social activities.

—Alice Larson

In Memoriam

ROBERT P. MEADER, M.D.

1901 - 1978

Dr. Robert P. Meader, 76, died on Tuesday, April 11, of heart failure at South Side Hospital, following a two-week illness.

Dr. Meader was born at Mendon, Michigan. He was a graduate of Traverse City High School, Michigan, and received both his B.A. and M.D. degrees at the University of Michigan, the latter degree in 1931.

Following an internship at Blodgett Memorial Hospital, Grand Rapids, and a residency in Radiology at Temple University Hospital, Philadelphia, he established his private practice in Pittsburgh.

In 1962, he came to Youngstown and joined the radiology department of the South Unit of Youngstown Hospital Association. He was a member of the American Board of Radiology, Central Ohio Radiology Society, Radiological Society of North America, American College of Radiology and the U.S. Committee of the World Medical Association.

Dr. Meader resided in Canfield and was a member of the Canfield Methodist Church and the Canfield Community Club.

PROCEEDINGS OF COUNCIL

(Excerpts from the April 13 and May 2 meetings)

The following applications for membership were presented by the Censors:

ACTIVE: Sheldon C. Binder, M.D.
S. N. Habib, M.D.
Edward L. McIver, M.D.

Fred R. Pruitt, M.D.
Ernesto F. Sabado, M.D.
G. D. Sangvai, M.D.

ASSOCIATE: J. V. Chaves, M.D.

The applications were approved. The applicants will become members of the Mahoning County Medical Society 15 days after publication in the *Bulletin*, unless objection is filed in writing with the secretary before that time.

The Scholarship Dinner, April 13th, honored 66 seniors from 25 high schools, including two of our members' daughters: Nancy Tiberio and Carol Kachmer.

The delegates and alternates were scheduled to attend the Sixth District Caucus meeting April 19th at Congress Lake.

Dr. Kiskaddon read papers pertaining to a Bill that HSA of Eastern Ohio is proposing to legislators for the purpose of imposing a financial penalty on both plaintiff and attorney who launch a frivolous malpractice suit against a physician.

A letter from Blue Cross of Eastern Ohio was noted in which there was a statement of the increase in premiums for the Blue Cross group beginning with the next billing in June.

Dr. Perry introduced discussion concerning a physician being allowed to be on staffs of both hospitals if he so desired and asked for a report of the committee appointed to explore this situation.

EMERITUS MEMBERS ELECTED

At the May 16th meeting of the Mahoning County Medical Society, the following members were elected Emeritus Members: Leonard A. Blum, M.D., A. R. Cukerbaum, M.D., Fred G. Schlecht, M.D. and John Stotler, M.D.

LESTER'S

- PHYSICIAN SUPPLIES
- HOSPITAL SUPPLIES
- PRESCRIPTIONS

We offer

- Prompt courteous service—Free Delivery
- Complete Stocks
- Fair Price
- Literature—New Product Information

If we can be of service—

PLEASE CALL

1350 Fifth Ave.	264 W. Federal St.	1003 Belmont Ave.
747-7141	744-4111	746-2657

DeBALD & CO.

OFFICE SUPPLIES and
BUSINESS FURNITURE

CODO Carbons and Ribbons
Southworth Papers

1300 Wick Ave. Phones: 746-0597 — 746-0598
YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO

YOUNGSTOWN LIMB CO., INC.

Prostheses — Legs — Arms — Stump socks — Walkers
Canes — Breast Restorations — Accessories

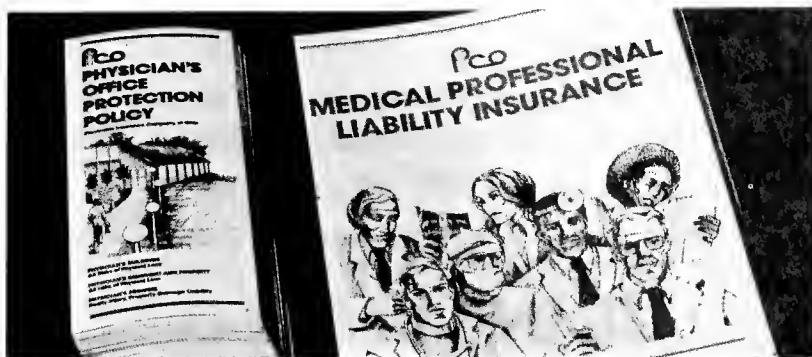
CERTIFIED: AMERICAN BOARD OF CERTIFICATION
MEMBER: AMERICAN ORTHOTIC & PROSTHETIC ASSOCIATION
Rehabilitation of amputees since 1918

14 S. Meridian Rd., Youngstown, Ohio 44509
Phones: 792-2561 — 792-4684



A UNIQUE INSURANCE COMPANY

TWO POLICIES— COMPLETE PROTECTION



Pico's Office Protection Policy for physicians protects your medical office building, equipment and property against physical loss, and includes medical premises liability coverage.

Pico's medical professional liability plan protects you against claims arising out of the performance of medical services.

Pico gives you complete protection for your medical practice through only two policies.

And, by having both medical professional and medical premises liability with the same insurer, there is no possibility of costly, time-consuming litigation over which coverage may apply to a specific claim.

This is the kind of service you can expect from PICO, a unique insurance organization. After all, PICO is a stock insurance company formed by physicians and owned by physicians, to serve physicians.



Physicians Insurance Company of Ohio
6100 Channingway Boulevard
Columbus, Ohio 43227

For the name of the PICO authorized
representative in your area, call toll free
1-800-282-7515

From the Bulletin

FORTY YEARS AGO — JUNE 1938

The annual Internes's Contest made up the scientific meeting that month. Prizes were won by Densmore Thomas and Don Miller representing Youngstown Hospital and by Harold Reese and George L. Ambrecht representing St. Elizabeth's Hospital. These contests used to be an annual feature of our program but were dropped because the local talent did not draw the attendance that a big name speaker does.

Dr. Myron H. Steinberg wrote a very informative article on "Therapeutic Considerations in Rheumatoid Arthritis". After forty years there is very little that could be added.

New members that month were: L. S. Shensa, Wm. E. Maine, J. A. Rogers, R. S. Lupse and R. W. Beede.

THIRTY YEARS AGO — JUNE 1948

Plans for the incorporation of the Medical Service Foundation were completed and the papers sent to Columbus.

The Ohio State Medical Association urged the members to protest passage by Congress of H.R. 6274. That was the unconstitutional, discriminatory piece of class legislation now known as "Doctor's Draft".

TWENTY YEARS AGO — JUNE 1958

President Detesco proposed the formation of a committee on Admissions, Conduct and Discharges to check on overuse and abuse on prepaid medical care in our hospitals. That was *before* the advent of Medicare and the Utilization Committee.

TEN YEARS AGO — JUNE 1968

Drs. Jack Schreiber, G. E. DeCicco, and J. V. Newsome were delegates to the OSMA meeting in Cincinnati, May 13-17. At that meeting the House of Delegates passed a resolution encouraging the appointment of physicians with full voting privileges to the Boards of Trustees of hospitals. They also passed a resolution that the OSMA conduct a poll on Malpractice Insurance and "to proceed with indicated action resulting from the poll". Was this the germination of P.I.C.O.?

Two beloved black physicians passed away, both at the age of 71, within two days of each other. Both were men of stature in the community. Dr. Wm. R. Smith was a quiet, kindly general practitioner who was greatly loved by his patients. The other was Dr. Wm. P. Young, a family physician of great dignity and deep feeling. He was the first black President of the Mahoning County Chapter of the Ohio Academy of Family Practice. When Dr. Young made a speech, it was with such ecclesiastical elegance that it was difficult for his audience to refrain from clapping hands and shouting "Amen".

Dr. Arthur Whittaker returned from special training in Cardiovascular Medicine at The University of Pittsburgh, College of Medicine, to take his place beside Dr. Calvin as the Assistant Director of the Cardiovascular laboratory at the North Unit, YHA.

New members that month were Ikoo Maeda and Ronald Roth. Dr. John McDonough was busy raising money for Project Hope. Dr. Wm. E. Sovik was elected President of the Ohio Ophthalmological Society. Dr. L. P. Caccamo addressed the local Chapter of the Research Society of America on recent advances in Coronary Care.

—Robert R. Fisher, M.D.

**THERE IS A
DIFFERENCE!**

**OUR
40th
YEAR**

PREPARE FOR

**MCAT
LSAT • GMAT
GRE • PCAT • DAT
VAT • OCAT • SAT
NAT'L MED BDS
NAT'L DENT BDS
NURSING BDS
ECFMG
FLEX
VQE**



**Stanley H.
KAPLAN**
EDUCATIONAL
CENTER®

**TEST PREPARATION
SPECIALISTS SINCE 1938**

**Visit Our Centers
And See For Yourself
Why We Make The Difference**

Call Days, Eves & Weekends

1-371-0035

**14055 Cedar Road
at Warrensville
just off I-271**

**Outside NY State ONLY
CALL TOLL FREE**

800-223-1782

**Centers in Major US Cities
Puerto Rico, Toronto, Canada
& Lugano, Switzerland**

Classified Advertising

DON'T THROW IT AWAY

The Medical Society will accept donations of medical memorabilia for museum display or historical collection. Desire old instruments, photos, office items, books, magazines, bottles, certificates, knick-knacks, anything related to the doctor's office or medicine in general. Will pick up. Phone:

Mahoning County Medical Society
Mr. Rempes 747-4956

FOR RENT

Medical offices: Prime location. Available immediately. Keylen Bldg., Gypsy Lane.

Contact Dr. Keyes or Dr. Chevlen
744-1184

FOR SALE

Current orthopedic books plus journals and clinical series.

Mrs. Joan Szaboky
Phone 799-2644

FOR SALE

Examination room and laboratory furnishings, 2-Step Test and miscellaneous equipment.

Dr. William D. Loeser
Phone 746-0109, evenings

HOUSE FOR SALE

BOARDMAN — 7028 Harrington, near Hitchcock Center. Elegant executive home, 4 bedrooms with many extras. Low 80's.

Dr. David Brown
533-6442 or 747-0751, Ext. 465

FOR LEASE

FMC Motor Home, 29 ft. 8 in. Sleeps 6 comfortably. All luxury options. A true land yacht. Rate \$550 per week plus 12¢ per mile.

Sidney C. Keyes, M.D.
548 Gypsy Lane, Suite A
744-1184

POSITION WANTED

Woman in late thirties, 3 years college, 6 years experience X-ray, general medical work-ups, assisting physician, I.M. injections, transcribing dictation, excellent typist, knowledgeable bookkeeping ability, keeping records and patients' charts. Interested in beneficial position.

Contact Gretchen McGraw
758-8024

DOCTORS SHOULD KEEP CME LOG

With the deadline for those 150 hours of Continuing Medical Education only one and one-half year away, every physician would be wise to take stock as to how he is meeting the requirements in order to renew his license on January 1, 1980.

In the matter of keeping a record, this is the responsibility of the physician. The Ohio State Board of Licensure provides a small diary to physicians who wish to use it to record their attendance at meetings. Also, there is a record log attached to the "Physician Relicensure Program" pamphlet reprinted from the Ohio State Medical Journal, and available at the OSMA Office and the Mahoning County Medical Society office.

A decided help for Mahoning physicians is the "Continuing Education Calendar" published monthly by the Mahoning Shenango Area Health Education Network. Each issue lists numerous local courses and meetings that give Category 1 credits. At least 60 credits of the 150 must be earned in this category.

There is a limit of 90 credits for work in Category 2. This includes CME activities with non-accredited sponsorship; medical teaching; papers, publications, books, presentations and exhibits; nonsupervised, individual CME activities; and other meritorious learning experiences.

The OSMA pamphlet cautions: "It is important that a physician keep accurate and complete information, including any available documents concerning continuing medical education activities during the period Jan. 1, 1977 to Dec. 31, 1979, to avoid any question of completion of the hours of continuing medical education necessary before the January 1980 registration. This information should be kept available to agents of the State Medical Board for review."

OSMA ANNUAL MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Dr. John J. Gaughan, Cleveland, took office as president at the annual OSMA House of Delegates meeting in Dayton last May. Dr. Thomas W. Morgan, Gallipolis, was elected president-elect. Dr. Jack Schreiber was re-elected delegate to the American Medical Association.

Delegates and alternates representing Mahoning County at the Dayton meeting were Drs. J. J. Anderson, Rashid Abdu, J. C. Melnick, C. E. Pichette, W. E. Sovik and J. W. Tandatnick. Dr. R. M. Kiskaddon spoke before a reference committee concerning malpractice litigation. Dr. Joe Yut, Canton, was chairman of the Sixth District delegation.

Classified Advertising

OFFICE SPACE

Physicians' and business offices available. 318 Fifth Avenue. Call 743-9938 or 743-9655.

OSU FOOTBALL

Ardent Buckeye fan wishes to buy pair of tickets for early autumn game.

Howard Rempes
747-4956 758-8786

HELP WANTED

Want doctor's assistant to work four (4) afternoons a week.

747-5938
after 6:00 p.m.

RETIREMENT SALE

Old Doc Fisher has retired from the practice of medicine.

His valuable furnishings and equipment are for sale, including Solid Maple Windsor chairs, solid Walnut chairs, bookcases, 1 Beck-Lee Electrocardiograph in good working order on roll around case, Master two-step, antiques.

Books, 2 operating tables, 2 baby scales, Thermolite, Alpine Quartz Sun lamp, 2 Baum scales, Norman Rockwell prints.

Laboratory table, B & L microscope. Wicker settee.

Oldsmobile Cutlass.

Shown by appointment at 224 N. Phelps St. Sale closes June 27th.

An Unbeatable Combination:

★ Computerized Pre-Collection

- A Letter Series Which Guarantees Results
- Costs Less Than Your Actual Billing
- You Keep All Monies Collected

Followed If Necessary By

★ Regular Collection

- A.C.A. Trained And Bonded Collectors
- No Collection • No Fee

Call Your

MEDICAL-DENTAL BUREAU, Inc.

901 Home Savings and Loan Bldg.

744-4513

**Doctors Keep In
Touch Through...**

**Telephone Answering
Service
and
Radio Paging
Service**



weight 3.9 ounces

Call Your

MEDICAL-DENTAL BUREAU, Inc.

901 Home Savings and Loan Bldg.

744-4513

Your 2¢ worth can save \$\$\$'s worth.



A word to your patients about Pre-Admission Testing, Same-Day Surgery and Home Health Care Programs could help us to slow the rising cost of hospital services. Through advertising, we're urging Blue Cross & Blue Shield subscribers to ask their doctors about these cost-containing programs. Some of them have. But your recommendation to use these programs, where medically indicated, would mean so much more. Please help.

TOGETHER.
We Can Help
Hold Down The
Rate Of Increase In
Health Care

COSTS



**Blue Cross
Blue Shield**

in Eastern Ohio



EMPIRIN[®] COMPOUND c CODEINE

Each tablet contains: aspirin, 227 mg; phenacetin, 162 mg; and caffeine, 32 mg; plus codeine phosphate in one of the following strengths: #4—60 mg (gr 1); #3—30 mg (gr ½); #2—15 mg (gr ¼); and #1—7.5 mg (gr ⅛). (Warning—may be habit-forming).



Wellcome

Burroughs Wellcome Co.
Research Triangle Park
North Carolina 27709